

**Amendments to the Claims**

1. (Canceled)
2. (Canceled)
3. (Currently amended) The method composition of claim ~~34~~ 1, wherein the concentration of HSA is from about 0.1% to about 15%.
4. (Currently amended) The method composition of claim 3, wherein the concentration of HSA is from about 1% to about 10%.
5. (Currently amended) The method composition of claim 4, wherein the concentration of HSA is about 5%.
6. (Canceled)
7. (Currently amended) The method composition of claim ~~34~~ 1, wherein the pH of said composition is greater than 7.5.
8. (Currently amended) The method composition of claim 7, wherein the pH of said composition is greater than 8.0.
9. (Currently amended) The method composition of claim 8, wherein the pH of said composition is 8.2.
10. (Currently amended) The method composition of claim 8, wherein the pH of said composition is 8.4.
11. (Currently amended) The method composition of claim 4, wherein the pH of said composition is greater than 8.0.
12. (Currently amended) The method composition of claim 5, wherein the pH of said composition is 8.2.
13. (Currently amended) The method composition of claim 5, wherein the pH of said composition is 8.4.

14 to 17. (Canceled)

18. (Currently amended) The method composition of claim 34, further comprising about 5% sucrose, about 2.0 mM MgCl<sub>2</sub> and about 150 mM NaCl.

19 to 21. (Canceled)

22. (Currently amended) The method composition of claim 34, wherein the recombinant adenovirus vector or particle expresses a heterologous protein.

23. (Currently amended) The method composition of claim 22, wherein the heterologous protein is p53.

24. (Currently amended) The method composition of claim 22, wherein the heterologous protein is HSV-TK.

25. (Canceled)

26. (Currently amended) The method according to claim 34, wherein said the temperature is about 4°C.

27. (Currently amended) The method according to claim 34, wherein said the temperature is about 20°C.

28. to 33. (Canceled)

34. (Currently amended) A method of enhancing the titer of or preserving recombinant adenovirus vectors or particles comprising:

- a) preparing a purified sample of said recombinant adenovirus vectors or particles;
- b) mixing said sample with a composition comprising human serum albumin (HSA), wherein the concentration of HSA is from about 0.01% to about 25% (w/v), wherein the pH of said composition is greater than or equal to 5.0 and less than or equal to 9.0 of claim 1; and
- c) storing said recombinant adenovirus vectors or particles at a temperature greater than about 4°C to about 20°C for at least 3 months to about 8.5 months.

35. (New) The method of claim 34, said composition further comprising PBS and about 1% HSA.
36. (New) The method of claim 35, said composition further comprising about 5% sucrose.
37. (New) The method of claim 35, said composition further comprising about 150 mM NaCl.
38. (New) The method of claim 36, said composition further comprising about 150 mM NaCl.